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In re Application of :  
Ishibashi et al. :  
Application No. 09/719112 : **ON PETITION**  
Filing or 371(c) Date: 02/20/2001 :  
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This is a decision on the Petition to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed February 20, 2007.

This Petition is hereby **granted**.

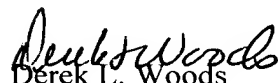
The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely and properly reply to the final Office action, mailed April 17, 2006. The Office action set a three (3) month period for reply. Extensions of time were available under 37 CFR 1.136(a). No timely and proper reply having been filed, the application became abandoned July 18, 2006.

Applicant files the present petition and Notice of Appeal and fee.

Accordingly, the petition is granted. The application is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 3621 to await the brief in support of appeal.

**Applicant has two (2) months from the mailing date of this Decision to file an appeal brief. Extensions of time are available under 37 CFR 1.136(a). Accord, MPEP 1215.01**

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